

**IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES  
FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF ALABAMA  
SOUTHERN DIVISION**

FREDRICK MAURICE MERRILL,

Plaintiff,

V.

MICHAEL J. ASTRUE,  
COMMISSIONER OF SOCIAL SECURITY,

Defendant.

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**)CIVIL ACTION NO. 1:07-CV-1037-TFM**

## ORDER ON MOTION

Upon consideration of Plaintiff's *Motion to Proceed In Forma Pauperis* (Doc. #2, filed November 26, 2007), it is hereby **ORDERED** that the motion (Doc. #2) is **GRANTED**.

Done this 6th day of December, 2007.

/s/Terry F. Moorer  
TERRY F. MOORER  
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE